

# RAVELINGS

1935



IN MEMORIAM











A descendant of a noble forebear.

# RAVELINGS



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THE SENIOR CLASS  
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DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL  
DECATUR, INDIANA





True beauty is the index to good character.

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## DEDICATION

We, the senior class of 1935, dedicate this edition of the Ravelings to Mr. Worthman. Although he is no longer with us in body, he is a living memory enshrined in our minds and hearts. Those who knew him can never forget him and the noble work to which he dedicated his life. He was truly one of God's noblemen.

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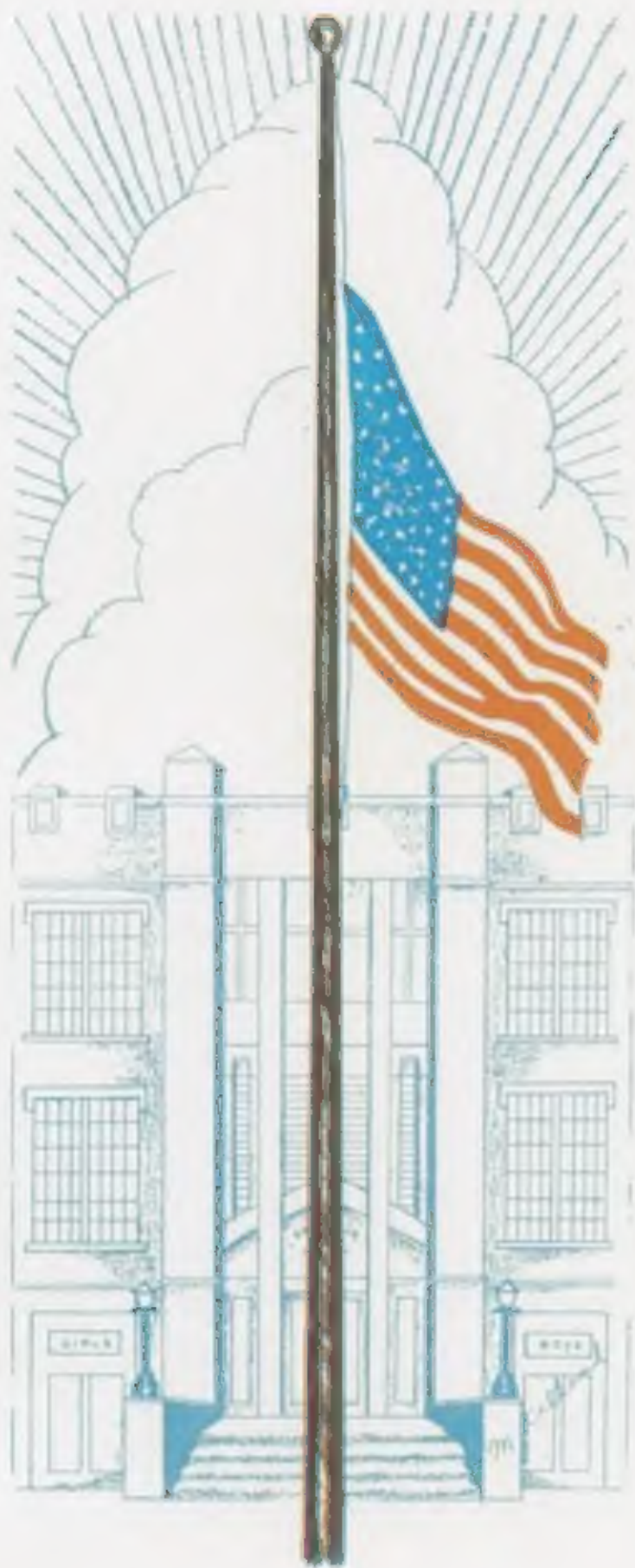
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## FOREWORD

SINCE MR. WORTHMAN devoted his life to the cause of education, as exemplified especially in his masterful services rendered in the capacity of Superintendent of Decatur Schools, and since the Decatur High School is a descendant of that first high school which was established at Boston, Massachusetts, in 1635, we have chosen as our theme the 300th anniversary of the public high school. We know that had Mr. Worthman lived throughout the year commemorating this anniversary, he would have been deeply interested and would have striven to make the students aware of the 300th birthday of that little high school that pioneered its way through three centuries of difficulties.

Therefore we take up the work left by Mr. Worthman and carry on as he would have wished us to do. As the leaves of the Ravelings are scanned, we hope the readers will feel that we have brought honor to our illustrious ancestor, the first high school, by the progress made in 300 years of high school education.





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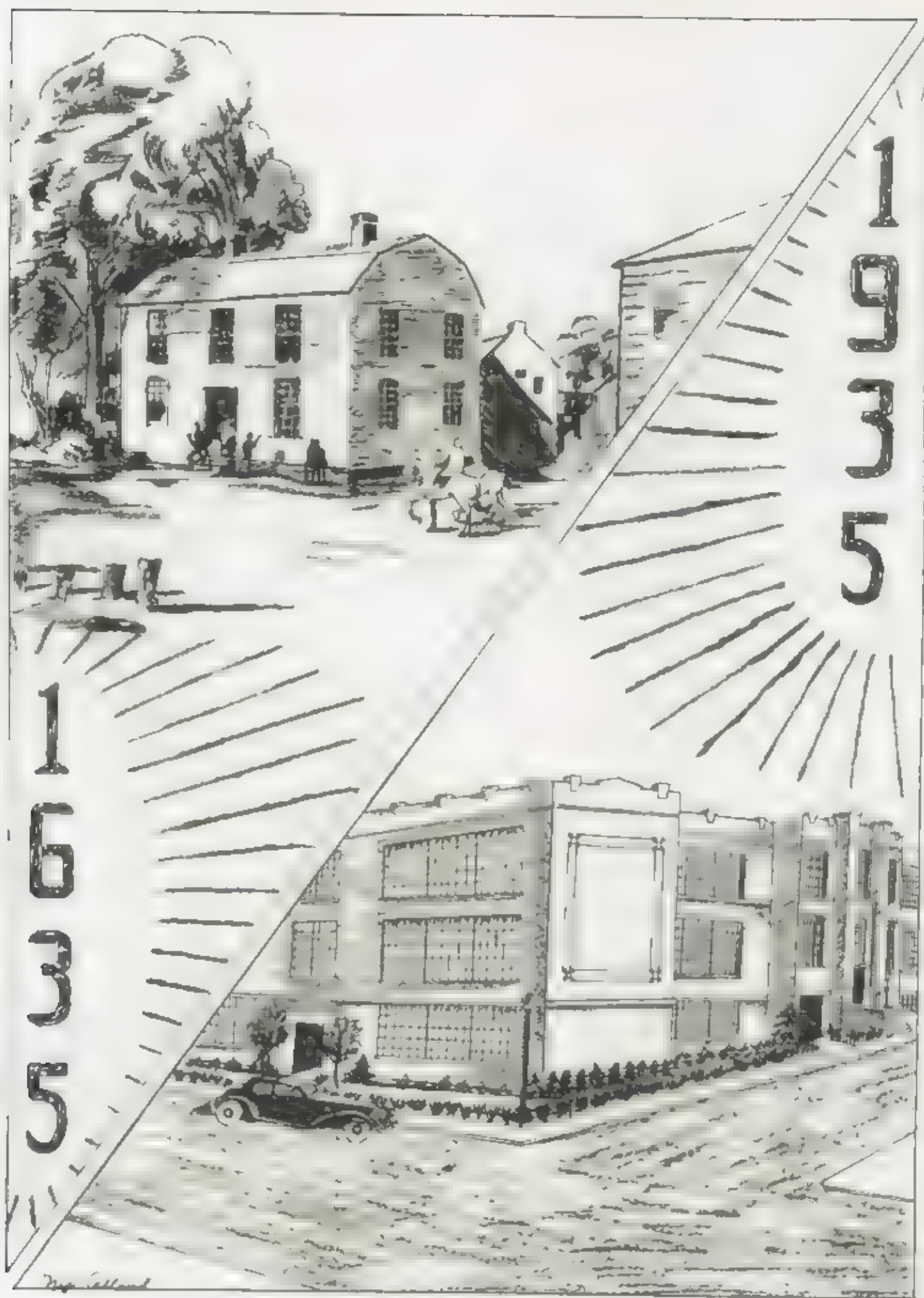
BOOK ONE

### ADMINISTRATION

**I**F THE SOLE instructor and the founders of that first public high school, established at Boston, could come back to-day, they surely would give evidence of their amazement and elation at the three centuries of progress made in the public institution of free education, the high school.

From the fact that there are now 28,000 high schools in the United States, the teachers and administrators of the past and present could consider their time well spent. From a tiny quota, educational forces have increased in power and number through these years, and now The Teacher marches at the head of a mighty educational army 6,000,000 high school students strong.





# ADMINISTRATION





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**Welcome, Mr. Krick**

The faculty and student body wish you success in your new position  
as superintendent of the Decatur Schools





W. GUY BROWN  
Principal

We wish to express our appreciation to you, Mr. Brown, for your co-operation with each student and faculty member in the Decatur High School.

## FACULTY



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 Middle Ages  
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Coach of Senior and  
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Sponsor Howling Hosts



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Mathematics

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Indiana Extension Course  
Graduate Work, three years



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Indiana University, A. B.  
Sponsor School Library

## RAVELINGS

HEAN TTE CLARK,  
Physical Education  
Wetomachek Camp,  
Ball State Teachers' Coll  
Sponsor Pop Champs.





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Commercial Subjects  
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College

Ball State Teachers' College  
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Faculty Business Manager  
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Commercial Subjects  
Ball State Teachers' College  
B. S.  
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Faculty, Advisor  
Ravelings Staff



AMOS KE CHUM,  
Manual Arts, History,  
Ball State Teachers' College,  
B. S.  
Indiana Extension Course  
Graduate Work



ANGIE MACY (Mrs.)  
Secretary to Superintendent

DOROTHY CHRISTEN  
Secretary to Principal



## RAVELINGS



## In Memoriam

God moves in a mysterious way  
His wonders to perform;  
He plants His foot-steps in the sea,  
And rides upon the storm.

Deep in unfathomable mines  
Of never failing skill,  
He treasures up His bright designs,  
And works His sovereign will.

Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take;  
The clouds ye so much dread  
Are big with mercy, and shall break  
In blessings on your head.

Judge not the Lord by feeble sense,  
But trust Him for His grace;  
Behind a frowning providence  
He hides a smiling face.

His purpose will ripen fast,  
Unfolding every hour;  
The bud may have a bitter taste,  
But sweet will be the flower.

Blind unbelief is sure to err,  
And scan His work in vain;  
God is His own interpreter,  
And He will make it plain.

—WM. COWPER

### MARTIN F. WORTHMAN

Mr. Worthman was born on a farm in Preble township, Adams County, on April 20, 1883. He was the son of Lewis and Sophia (Boemker) Worthman and was the oldest in a family of eleven children.

Mr. Worthman attended the public schools of Marion, the Angola Normal School, and the State Normal School at Terre Haute, from which he graduated in 1910. Prior to this he had taught in Preble Township.

In 1908 he was made principal of the West Ward School in Decatur. During 1910 and 1911 he was associated with grade and high school work, and in 1912 he was made principal of the Decatur High School, where he taught mathematics. In 1916 he became superintendent of the Decatur Schools and under his supervision were five schools, the high school, Central, West Ward, North Ward, and South Ward, having a total enrollment of 1000 pupils. In recent years Mr. Worthman took post graduate work at the University of Chicago.

On September 26, 1907, Mr. Worthman was married to Miss Lydia Fruechte of Preble Township. They had three children, Mildred, Lillian, and Robert. Seven brothers and sisters survive Mr. Worthman.

Mr. Worthman was an active member of the Zion Reformed Church. He served in the Sunday School as superintendent. Mr. Worthman always responded wholeheartedly to any task he was called upon to do.

In fraternal circles Mr. Worthman was a member of the Masonic Blue Lodge, the Fort Wayne Scottish Rite, a past chartered of the Knights of Pythias and member of the Loyal Order of Moose. Mr. Worthman was also a member of Decatur Rotary Club. He was chairman of the boys work committee and his leadership in this respect was depended upon by the club members. Mr. Worthman will always be remembered for his interest in young people.

#### Excerpts from Reverend C. W. Prugh's funeral meditation

"How does a man reach the guarded heights of honor and esteem upon which he stood? Not by setting out in the world to make money. Nor can it be done by becoming a dictator over other men. One does not reach eminence by any kind of academic success or by mere intellectual power or prominence. No, the position which this man occupied in the hearts of thousands of people was reached by the path of unselfish service, by going about doing good. Service without any thought of personal profit or gain, but because he possessed a perpetual passion to help somebody. Why are there tears in every schoolboy's eyes today and aching in their hearts? Because everyone of them knew that their superintendent had done his job not for himself but for them. He was not in this educational business to get as much as he could but rather to give back to the world, to the boys and girls, infinitely more than he ever received. It was clear to all people that the rule of his life was not his own, but that it had been turned over to One who is more interested in making Christian men and women out of boys and girls. He had learned from his Master that in the Kingdom of Heaven he that is truly great is the servant of all. Let him be remembered by those of us who were fortunate enough to know him as one who literally laid down his life for his friends."





**MARTIN F. WORTHMAN**

Principal of the Decatur High School from 1912 to 1916, and Superintendent of the Decatur Schools since 1916.

Mr. Worthman died at the Decatur Memorial Hospital on October 20, 1934, in his 51st year.

## CLASSES

**L**ATIN WAS the principal subject taught in the first public high school three centuries ago, and the pupils studied it diligently under the strict supervision of their instructors. Other subjects were offered, but they were not emphasized as much as Latin.

In the high schools of today there are varied courses of study, and certain essential subjects are compulsory.

Latin, although it still has a place in the modern high school, does not occupy the prominent position it had in the first high school. Other subjects, equally important, have been introduced into the modern curriculum.

Students of the modern high school should appreciate these additional opportunities offered them to further develop their mental and physical powers.





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## CLASSES

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COMMENCEMENT WEEK, MAY 19-24, 1935

DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL, DECATUR, INDIANA

**Junior-Senior Reception ..... High School Gymnasium**  
**Friday evening, May 17, 1935**

Baccalaureate Services ..... Methodist Church  
Sunday evening, May 19, 1935

Sermon ..... Rev. Paul W. Schultz  
Pastor Lutheran Church, Decatur, Indiana

Commencement Program..... High School Gymnasium  
Friday evening, May 24, 1935, 8:00 o'clock

Senior Reception will follow the Commencement Program in the High School Gymnasium.

## COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

March — Venetia..... Zamecnik

Invocation Rev. Arthur B. Brown  
Pastor Baptist Church, Decatur, Indiana

Music — "To Greet the Spring"..... Mendelssohn  
MIXED CHORUS, DECATUR, HIGH SCHOOL.

Address -- "Youth Building a New World" Prof. J. Raymond Schutz  
North Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana

Vocal Solo — "Friend O'Mine" ..... Sanderson  
JAMES HARKLESS

Presentation of Graduating Class .....Prin. W. Guy Brown

Presentation of Diplomas .. Pres., Dr. Burt Mangold

Whistling Solo.....	Selected
MARTHA ELIZABETH CALLAND	

**Benediction** ..... **Rev. C. M. Prugh**  
Pastor Zion Reformed Church, Decatur, Indiana

Exit March..... Instrumental Quintet

Mixed Chorus—Selection in charge of Miss Helen Hancock.

Instrumental Quartet — Selections in charge of Mr. Albert Sellenmeyer,  
Band Instructor, Decatur Public Schools

Senior Class Motto — "They Can, Who Think They Can."

Colors: Honeydew and Emerald Green.

**Flower:** Tea Rose.

**Class Guardian — Miss Blanche McCrory.**





Pauline Affolter

Etta Anspaugh

Allen J.

Mary A. Raymond

James Beavers

#### PAULINE AFFOLTER

Chorus '32, Sodality Latin '32  
'33 '34 '35, Basketball  
Club '32, Glee Club  
'33 '34 '35, A. K. S. Club  
'34 '35, Commercial Club

#### ETTA ANSPAUGH

Freshman Chorus '32, Latin Club  
'33 '34 '35, Commercial Club '33 '34  
Commercial Club '35, Pop Champs

#### MARY JANE ARCHBOLD

Freshman Chorus '32, Sodality Latin  
'33 '34 '35, Pop Champs '33 '34 '35, Scholastic Letter  
Commercial Club '34 '35, A. K. S. Club  
Savings Staff '35

#### MARY ANN RAYMAN

Freshman Chorus '32, Latin Club '33 '34  
Pop Champs '33 '34 '35, Glee Club '34, G. A.  
'34

#### JAMES BEAVER

Freshman Chorus '32, Howling Hosts '3

#### SENIOR

#### JOHN J. ARCHBOLD

'34 '35, Football '33 '34  
Basketball '32, Howling Host  
Freshman Chorus '31, Sec. of  
J. Sec. of Junior Class '34,  
Class 3

#### JOHN J. ARCHBOLD

Latin Club '33 '34, Howling Host '33 '34 '35,  
Freshman Chorus '32, Basketball Club '35

#### DUCK B. ARCHBOLD

Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '32 '33 '34  
'35, Latin '32, Orchestra '32, Band '32 '33  
'35, President of Band '34, N. E. L. C.  
Orchestra '34, Treasurer Sophomore Class  
'34, Football '33 '34, Howling Host '32 '33 '34  
Sec'y Howling Host '35, Sodality Latin  
'32 '33, District Latin Contest '34

#### MARIONA BUTLER

Freshman Chorus '32, Sodality Latin  
'33 '34 '35, Pop Champs '32 '33 '34 '35, Vice Pres.  
of Pop Champs '34, President  
Champs '35, Junior Class Play '34, C.  
and Club '34 '35, A. K. S. Club '34 '35, G. A.  
'34 '35, D. H. S. Band '32 '33 '34 '35, D.  
Wheel Club  
Veh. Leader '33 '34, Basketball Team '32  
Scholastic Letter '33, N. E. L. C. all d's

#### MARY J. ARCHBOLD

Senior High School Pontiac, Michigan  
Pop Champs '33 '34 '35, Glee Club  
President of Color Wheel Club '34, Sodality  
Latin '33, Consul Latin Club '33, Sugar  
Queen '33, A. K. S. Club '34 '35, Northwest  
University Dramatic Scholarship '34, Junior  
Play '34, G. A. A. '34, N. E. L. C. Chorus '34  
Double Quartet '35, Commercial Club '34  
Vice-President of Pop Champs '34, Senior  
Play '35, Art Editor of Ravelings '35

#### RAVELINGS

Harold Blalock

John B. Blalock

Richard Brodbeck

Matthew





Martha Christen

Robert Coffee

Lloyd Conrad

Gladys Doan

## CLASS

### JOE CARSON

Portland High School, Portland, Indiana '32 '33 '34; Boys Glee Club '35, Mixed Chorus '35; Senior Double Quartette '35, Commercial Club '35; A. K. S. Club '35; Howling Hosts '35.

### MARTHA CHRISTEN

Freshman Chorus '32; Sodality Latina '32 '33 '34 '35, Commercial Club '35; A. K. S. Club '35.

### ROBERT COFFEE

Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '32 '33 '34 '35; Howling Hosts '32 '33 '34 '35; Football '35; Junior Class Play '35; Senior Class Play '35; Oratorical Contest '35.

### LOYD CONRAD

Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '32 '33 '34 '35, Latin Club '35, Football '35, Senior Class Play '35.

### GLADYS DOAN

Freshman Chorus '32, Latin Club '32 '33 '34 '35, Commercial Club '35; A. K. S. Club '35.

### JOHN EICHAR

Howling Host '30 '31 '33 '34 '35, Commercial Club '33 '34 '35, Vice-Pres. Commercial Club '35, Vice-Pres. Howling Host '35; A. K. S. Club '35.

### VANCE FENIMORE

Akron High School Akron, Ind. '31; Freshman Class '32, Latin Club '32 '33, Commercial Club '34 '35, A. K. S. Club '34 '35, Howling Host '35; Senior Class Play '35, Tennis '35.

### WINONA FLEMING

Van Wert High School '32, A. K. S. Club '31 '32 '33 '34 '35, Pep Champs '33 '34 '35, Co-Pres. A. K. S. Club '32, Commercial Club '33 '34 '35, Junior Band '33 '34 '35; Junior Class Play '35, Senior Class Play '35, Sec'y, Senior Class '35.

### ELIZABETH FUHRMAN

Freshman Chorus '32, Commercial Club '34 '35, Glee Club '33 '34; Travelling Staff '35.

### JEANNETTE GARD

King Mills High School, King Mills, Ohio '32 '33 '34, Glee Club '35, Pep Champs '35; Sodality Latina '35.

## RAVELINGS

John Eichar

Vance Fenimore

Winona Fleming

Elizabeth Fuhrman

Jeannette Gard





Helen Gay      Jack Grethel      Bernice Hanne      James Harkless      Paul Hendrick

**HELEN GAY**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Latin Club  
 Pep Champions '33 '34, Mixed Chorus '34  
 Commercial Club '34 '35, G. A. A. '34

**JACK GRETHEL**  
 Editor of Ravelings '35, Asst. Editor '34  
 Lin. Club '33 '34 '35, Glee Club  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Howling Host '34 '35  
 Latin Contest '32 '33 '34, Sci. Soc.  
 '33 '34

**BERNICE HANNE**  
 Freshman Chorus  
 G. A. A. '34  
 Commercial Club '34 '35

**JAMES HARKLESS**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '32  
 Operetta '32, Latin Club '32 '33; 4  
 Club '34 '35, Howling Host  
 Cantata '32, Ravelings Staff '34 '35  
 Junior Class Play '35, B.  
 Sec'y and Treas. A. K. S. Club  
 Quartette '33

**PAUL HENDRICKS**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Howling Host '33  
 Junior Class Play '34, A. K. S.  
 Commercial Club '35, Latin Club

## RAVELINGS

## SENIOR

**KATHRYN HILL**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '34, Pep  
 Champions '32 '33 '34 '35, Commercial Club '34  
 Mixed Chorus '34

**MARION JACKSON**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Howling Host '33

**SEPHOR JACKSON**  
 Operetta '32, Howling  
 A. K. S. Club '35, Latin Club  
 Student Mgr. Basketball  
 Student Asst. Basketball

**MARJORIE JOHNSON**  
 Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '34  
 Pep Champions  
 Junior Play '34, Commercial  
 G. A. A. '34

**EDGAR KLEES**  
 Howling Host '33 '34

Kathryn Hill      Marion Jackson      Sephor Jackson      Marjorie Johnson      Edgar Klees







Louise Kiess

Evelyn Kohls

Harold Kotler

Genevieve Light

Jane Linn

## CLASS

### LOUISE KIESS

Freshman Chorus '32, Pep Champs '33 '34 '35

### EVELYN KOHLS

Lat'n Club '32 '33, Pres of Lat'n Club '33, Pep Champs '32 '33, Pep Champs '34; Sec, Sophomore Club '34 '35, Co-Pres, A. K. S. Club '35, G. A. A. '34 '35, Commercial Club '34 '35, Ravelings, Senior Class Play '35, Vice Pres Senior Class '3

### HAROLD KOTLER

Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '35, A. K. S. Club '34 '35; Bowling Host '32 '23, Football '35, Baseball '35, Operetta

### GENEVIEVE LIGHT

Freshman Chorus '32, Student Lat'n Club '33 '34 '35, Model Chorus '35, Commercial Club '34 '35, G. A. A. '34

### JANE LINN

Freshman Chorus '32, Student Lat'n Club '33 '34 '35, Glee Club '35, Commercial Club '35, Junior Lat'n Club '35, Senior Class Play '35

## CALVIN MAGLEY

### RUTH MARGOLIES

Marquette High School, Marinette, Wisconsin; Central High School, Fort Wayne, Indiana; A. K. S. Club '33 '34 '35; Commercial Club '33 '34 '35; Glee Club '34 '35; Secretary of Commercial Club

### HELEN MARTIN

Commercial Club '34

Howlin

For Class Play '34

### HAROLD MILLER

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Calvin Magley

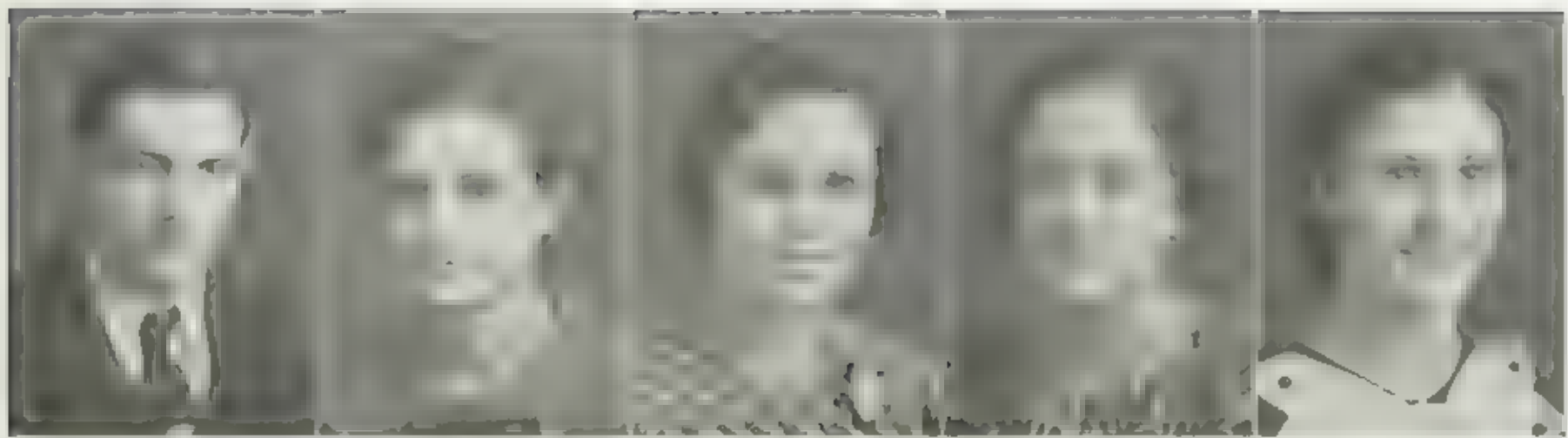
Ruth Margolies

Helen Martin

Charles McGill

Harold Miller





Jacob Moyer

Lela Myers

Marble Parmen

Lina Peck

Allen Porter

**JACOB MOYER**

Freshman Chorus '32, Latin Club '32 '33 '34  
Howling Host '32 '33 '34 '35, Glee Club  
'34 Tennis '32 '33 '34 '35 Basketball '34

**LELA MYERS**

Freshman Chorus '32, Color Guard Club '32,  
H. S. Orchestra '32 Latin Club '33 Commercial  
Club '35, Pep Champs '32 '33 '34 '35

**MARBLE PARMEN**

Freshman Chorus '32

**LINA PECK**

Freshman Chorus '32, Glee Club '34, Pep

**ALLEN PORTER**

Offton High School, H. S. Chorus, Glee '32 '33  
High School, Dubuque, Iowa '34, G. A. A.  
'35, Pep Champs '35, Commercial Club

**SENIOR**

**RAYMOND ROOP**

Freshman Chorus '32, Commercial Club '33  
'35, Latin Club '32, Howling Hosts '32 '33

**MARCELLA RUPE**

Commercial Club

**RAYMOND**

Latin Club  
Host '34  
Staff '34

Howling  
Hosts  
& Travellers

**MARY JANE SCHAFER**

Freshman Chorus '32, Pep Champs '32 '33 '34  
Commercial Club

**ELMER SCHULZ**

Freshman Chorus '32, Baseball '32 '33 '34 '35  
Track '33 '35, Football '33 '34, Basketball '33  
Howling Host '32 '33 '34 '35, Junior Class  
President '34, Junior Class Play '34 '35, N.  
E. I. Chorus '35, A. K. S. Club '34, Senior  
Class President '34

**RAVELINGS**

Raymond Roop

Marcella Rupert

Harold Sauer

Mary J. Schafer

Elmer E. Schulz





Carl Sheets

Dick Sheets

Helen Sheets

Frederick Shrover

Clark W. Smith

## CLASS

### CARL SHEETS

Howling Host '32 '33 '35; Yell Leader '32 '33 '35; Ohio City Liberty School '34; Glee Club '34; Freshman Chorus '32; Double Quartette '35.

### DICK SHEETS

Freshman Chorus '32; Glee Club '34 '35; Football '35; Howling Host '32; Vice-Pres. Howling Host '34; Pres. Howling Host '35; Club Treas. '34; Junior Class Play '34; A. K. S. Club '34; Operetta '32.

### HELEN SHEETS

Commercial Club '34 '35; Latin Club '32 '34.

### FREDERICK

Soliditas Latina '32 '33; Colorwheel Club '32 '33; Play '34 '35; A. K. S. Club '34.

### CLARK WILLIAM SMITH

Freshman Chorus '32; Freshman Class President '32; Sophomore Vice-President '33; Football '32 '33; Soliditas Latina '32 '33; Howling Hosts '32 '33 '34 '35; Secretary '34; Senior Class Play '35.

### RUTH SMITH

Freshman Chorus '32; Latin Club '34 '35; Commercial Club '34 '35; A. K. S. Club '34; Pop Champs '35.

### MARY K. TOWNSEND

Freshman Chorus '32; Glee Club '34 '35; Soliditas Latina '32 '33; Pop Champs '32 '33 '34 '35.

### COROLINE TOWNSEND

Freshman Chorus '32; Freshman Class Treasurer '32; Prayer Club '32; Soliditas Latina '32 '33 '34; Pop Champs '32 '33 '34 '35; Treasurer Pop Champs '35; A. K. S. Club '34; Junior Class Play '34; Commercial Club '34.

### BETTY TRICKER

South Side High School, Fort Wayne, Indiana '32 '33; Commercial Club '34 '35; President of Commercial Club '35.

### MARY K. TYNDALL

Freshman Chorus '32; Soph. Freshman Class '32; Pop Champs '32 '33 '34 '35; Latin Club '32 '33; Commercial Club '34 '35; A. K. S. Club '34 '35; Glee Club '33 '34 '35; Scholarship '33; High School '33 '34 '35; Senior Class Play '35; Glee Club '35.

## RAVELINGS

Ruth Smith

Madelaine Spahr

Corolene Townsend

Betty Tricker

Mary K. Tyndall







## In Memoriam

### TO CATHERINE

As when day is done  
And the mother soothes  
The weary babe on her breast,  
So God has taken this pure young soul  
To dwell in his Garden of Rest.

As a lone star—  
Sinks into Heaven's blue arc  
Awaiting the coming of dawn  
The pure light flickered—  
Then silently passed  
Into the Great Valley Beyond!

—Winona Fleming



### CATHERINE BROWN

Catherine was born July 5, 1916, in Decatur, Indiana. She had always attended the Decatur schools, and would have been a senior in the Decatur High School this year had not her life terminated on September 9, 1934. She was associated with various organizations in the high school and took an active part in the activities of the First Evangelical Church, of Decatur. When Catherine died, the senior class lost a quiet, lovable classmate, one whose willing cooperation makes itself felt now that she is no longer here. We miss her!



## SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

### CHAPTER I

Sixty seven freshmen began their quest of higher learning by entering Decatur High School on the seventh day of September, nineteen hundred and thirty-one. In the following Month, October, they elected their officers as follows: Clark Smith, president; Evelyn Kohls, vice-president; Mary Kathryn Tyndall, secretary; Corlene Townsend, treasurer. In the course of the meeting Miss Lewton was elected class guardian.

In January of the second semester, thirty-one pupils were promoted to the freshman class, making a total of ninety-eight freshmen.

Through their first year of high school the freshmen claimed many laurels in the school's activities.

### CHAPTER II

In September, 1932, the nineteen thirty-one freshmen had brushed aside their greenness and advanced to their sophomore year. They chose as their class officers: August Kelly, president; Clark Smith, vice-president; Evelyn Kohls, secretary; Richard Brodbeck, treasurer. At this meeting Miss Lewton was again chosen class guardian.

### CHAPTER III

After a very restful vacation, the class, as juniors, settled down to hard work in September, 1933. The officers they selected were: Elmer Schultz, president; Harry Fruchte, vice-president; Harold Blythe, secretary; Marcel Leatherman, treasurer. At this meeting, Miss Whalen was selected to be sponsor of the class.

Throughout the year the class was proud to have a number of representatives on the honor roll. They were Anne Jane Archbold, Martha E. Butler, Martha E. Callahan, William E. Lister, Jack Grether, Corlene Townsend, Betty Tricker, and Mary K. Tyndall.

The class was proud to have Martha E. Butler as one of the cheer leaders.

The class was well represented in all sports. Harold Blythe, Dick Brodbeck, Lloyd Conrad, Dale Newland, James Harkless, Harold Kotter, Elmer Schultz, and Dick Sheets were on the football squad. Harold Blythe was on the first squad in basketball. Harold Kotter, Elmer Schultz, and Dick Sheets were the juniors on the second team.

The junior play was entitled, "Too Many Bosses." It was given, under the direction of Miss Whalen on April 6, 1934.

## SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

The reception, which the juniors planned for the seniors, took place on May 19, 1934, and was a very attractive one. The beautiful array of colors, the accompanying music, and the graceful dancers all add to make the evening a charming one.

### CHAPTER IV

On that memorable day in September, 1934, sixty-one seniors began their last year at D. H. S. Several weeks after school started, an organizational meeting was held and the following people were elected: Elmer Schultze, president; Elmer Kolter, vice president; Winona Fleming, secretary; Harold Blythe, treasurer. Mrs. McTerry was elected senior class guardian.

The annual Christmas party was sponsored by the seniors and Santa Claus gave presents to many of the good children.

The senior class play, "Double Wedding," was given before a large audience and was most successful. The assistance of Mrs. Whalen. We wish to extend our appreciation to her for her aid and responsibility for making it a great success.

The seniors were well represented in sports. Members of the football squad were Elmer Kolter, Elmer Schultze, Richard Street, Robert Coffee, Richard Brodbeck, Lloyd Conrad, Elmer Schultz, and James Harkless. On the basketball squad were Harold Blythe, Harold Kolter, and Elmer Schultze. The tennis team was represented by Harold Blythe, Arthur Brown, and James Harkless. Members of the baseball team were Elmer Schultz, Robert Coffee, Harold Kolter, James Harkless, Sephus Jackson, Lloyd Conrad, and Richard Brodbeck.

In scholastic activities the seniors were represented by Winona Fleming, Alice Arnold, Jack Graham, Ma Ora Calore, Mary K. Tyndal, Evelyn Kohls, Betty Tricker, and Robert Coffee.

The beautiful reception the seniors were given by the juniors will always be remembered as a great event at the close of their last year in D. H. S.

It is with a great deal of regret that the Seniors will leave school after their commencement exercises. Certainly they will be most envious of the classes who stay on in D. H. S. With tears in their eyes they take leave of good old D. H. S. and the fond memories they will cherish in their hearts forever.

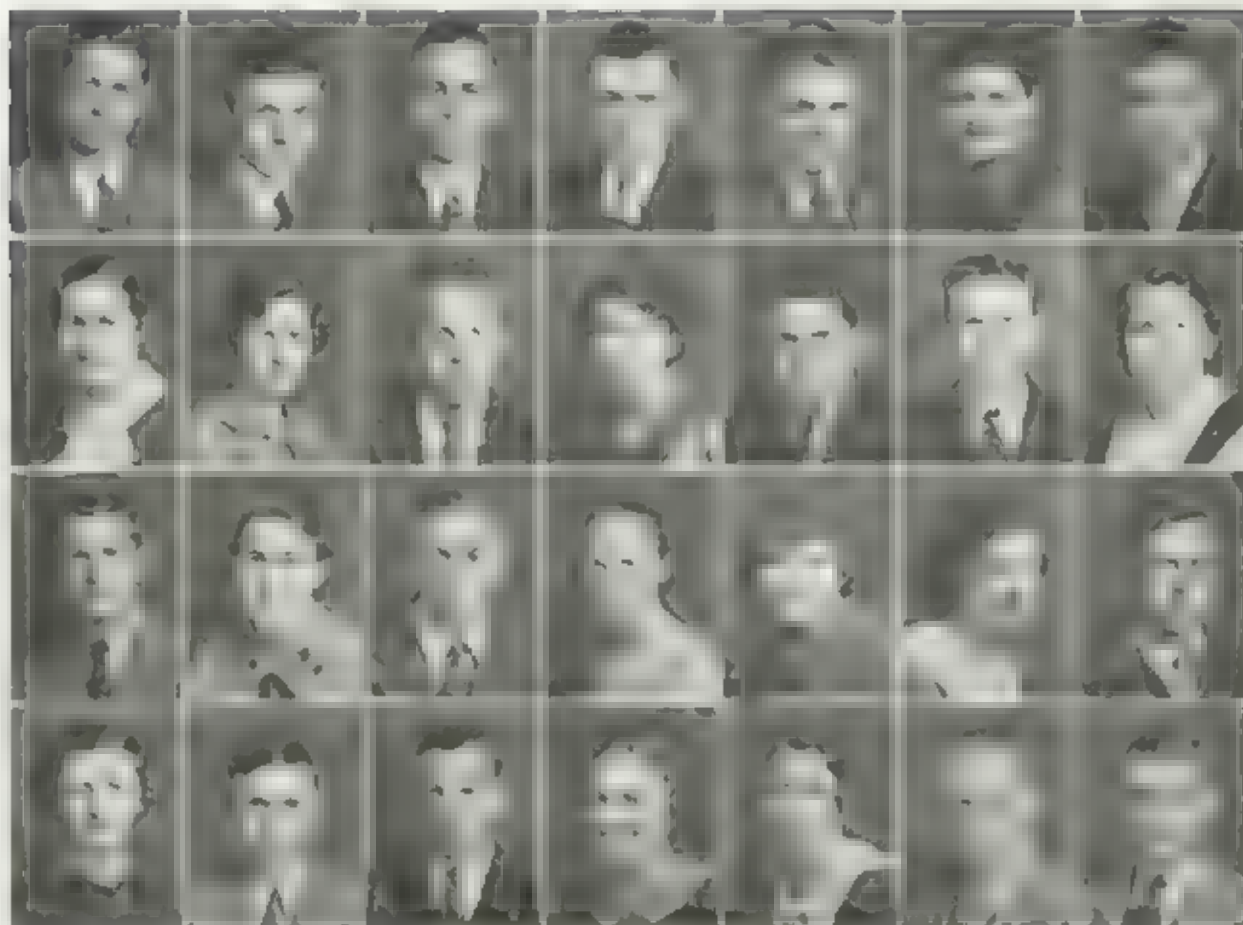




Constitution week; Pep Champs; Lab work; Cooking class; Latin class; Class officers. Principal, Lincoln, the guiding spirit; Superintendent; Candy stand; Isaac the skeleton, Angie, the Secretary; Howling Host— All figure in—  
The Life of a D H S Student

## JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

President  
Dale Myers  
Vice-President  
Clarence Walther  
Secretary  
Agnes Nelson  
Treasurer  
Ralph Ritter



Robert Ashbacher, Robert Aschman, Richard Andrews, Francis An-  
rt Drake, Maxine Drake  
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Marlowe Highland, Dale Hoffman, Leroy Huffman, Marilyn Huffman,  
Eileen Jackson, Robert Johnson, Albert Kelle

## RAVELINGS

## JUNIOR-SENIOR RECEPTION

In keeping with tradition the junior class again entertained the graduating class at the annual junior-senior reception. The affair took place on May 17, 1935. The reception was held at the high school this year instead of the country club, but this fact did not lessen the enjoyment and charm of the evening.

Around 8 o'clock the guests began to arrive, resplendent in beautiful evening clothes.

A program was given in the high school auditorium. Miss Agnes Nelson acted as mistress of ceremonies and introduced various speakers. Short talks were given by the two class presidents, Elmer Schultz and Dale Myers, by Mr. Krick, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Hambold of the school board. A clever radio program was then presented by members of the junior class. This consisted of music, dancing, and impersonations of well known radio and movie stars.

After the program, dancing was enjoyed in the gymnasium which was artistically decorated with the senior colors, honey dew and cracked green, along with junior colors, rose and green. Music was furnished by Hal Teeter's orchestra.

Dainty refreshments were served during the evening. The sophomores who assisted with the serving were Kathryn Koons, Evelyn Adams, Catherine Jackson, Gertrude Smith, Rosa Meyer, Margaret Schamerton, and Alice Kathryn Baker. Ralph Harsh, Robert Wooten, Wendell Smith, Arthur Sanderman, Neil Highland, Robert Brecken, and Vernon Affolder.

Much of the success of the evening was due to the tireless efforts of Miss Wagon, who supervised the entire event. The rhythmic music and the gayety of the dancers all lent to the evening's enchantment.

The senior farewell was a success and left only pleasant memories of the past in the minds of the seniors and dreams of the future in the minds of the juniors.

#### RAVELINGS

Forest Kenworthy, Phyllis Krick, Lucile Laby, Della Marbaugh, Elizabeth Miller, Delores Miller, Harry Meyer, Dale Myers, Cover McClure, Agnes Nelson, Tomahine Rendenbush, Ruth Rendenbush, Leola Reinken, Ralph Ritter, William Schrock, Row Four—William Schrock, Keith Smitley, Ellis Squier, William Tutewiler, Clarence Walker, Charles Whitman, Ruth Worthmann



#### JUNIOR CLASS

MOTTO: "Step by Step  
We Reach the Top."

COLORS: Rose and  
Green.

FLOWER: Wild Rose.



## JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

### Year 1933

In the fall of 1933 the ninety-two freshmen entering Devatar High School and the thirty-four new-year students from the year before elected as their class officers, Robert Engeler, president, Agnes Nelson, vice-president, Russel Butler, secretary, Ruth Porter, treasurer. Miss Vance was chosen sponsor.

The class was well represented in athletics, scholarship, and music.

Even though the year was a happy one, the freshmen resented mention of their greenness, and were eagerly looking forward to higher levels.

### Year 1934

Sixty-five sophomores, the whole summer wiser in the ways of the world, returned to classes in the fall of 1933. They elected the following officers, Robert Engeler, president, Dale Myers, vice-president, Harold Tramm, secretary, Marie Grether, treasurer. Miss Lewton was chosen sponsor.

Prominent in sports, scholarship, and music, the class, true to its motto, "Step by step we reach the top," found it a greater than desired goal at the end of the year.

### Year 1935

This fall fifty-nine juniors returned to school, and after a few weeks elected the following officers: Dale Myers, president; Clarence Walther, vice-president; Agnes Nelson, secretary; Ralph Ritter, treasurer. Miss Whalen was wisely chosen as sponsor.

The football season was soon started and the class was well represented on Devatar's undefeated football team. On the squad were Herbert Rayner, Junior Barker, Russell Pruitt, Russel Butler, Dale Myers, Ralph Ritter, and Clarence Walther.

The report cards revealed that there was some grey matter in the class, the following being named on the Honor roll at least once: Richard Andrews, Marie Grether, Albert Keller, Agnes Nelson, June O'Donnell, William Schafer, and William Tuteweiler.

One of the yell leaders, Irene Cosner, was chosen from our class.

Robert Ashbaucher, Robert Engeler, Eileen Jackson, Robert Johnson, William Schafer, and William Schrock were in the Junior Band.

The basketball season was welcomed with great enthusiasm. Six boys, Junior Barker, Paul Patton, Elroy Hoffman, Dale Myers, Ralph Peterson, and Ralph Ritter, were on the first team.

The junior play, "Phillip for Short," was successfully given under the direction of Miss Whalen.

In the last week of school the juniors gave a reception for the seniors at the high school. After a short program dancing was enjoyed. The delicately colored gowns of the girls and the white flannels and the dark coats of the boys made a beautiful picture, the syncopating music complementing the exercises perfectly. With pleasant memories of the past year the juniors look forward to the time when they shall at last become seniors.



D. Christen, Sec.; Dramatics; Wood working; Courtships; Harmonizing; People, short, tall, big, and small; Pop corn vending; and the Glee Club are all to be found—  
Around Decatur High School

## SOPHOMORE CLASS

### OFFICERS

Arthur Sunderman	-	-	-	President
Arthuryn Kohls	-	-	-	Vice-President
Lewis	-	-	-	Secretary
Jeanette Chr	-	-	-	Treasurer



TOP ROW

RAVELINGS

EVELYN ADAMS  
 VERNON AFFOLDER  
 DORIS ANDREW  
 LAWRENCE ANSPAUGH  
 DONALD ARNOLD  
 ALICE KATHRYN BAKER

ROBERT BLAVINS  
 LEWIS BEERY  
 DONALD BIXLER  
 VIRGINIA PREINER  
 RAYMOND BODLE

ROW TWO

ROBERT BRODBECK  
 JEANETTE CHRISTEN  
 ROBERT CLEM  
 JUNIOR DRAK  
 ZELNO DRAK  
 EDWIN EICHORN

VIOLA ELLSWORTH  
 ROMAINE ELZ  
 LEWIS FENNEL  
 ESTHER FISHER  
 DEAN FLETCHER

ROW THREE

AGNES FOREMAN  
 EUGENE FRIEDL  
 MONROE FUHRMAN  
 MARY KATHRYN GARNER  
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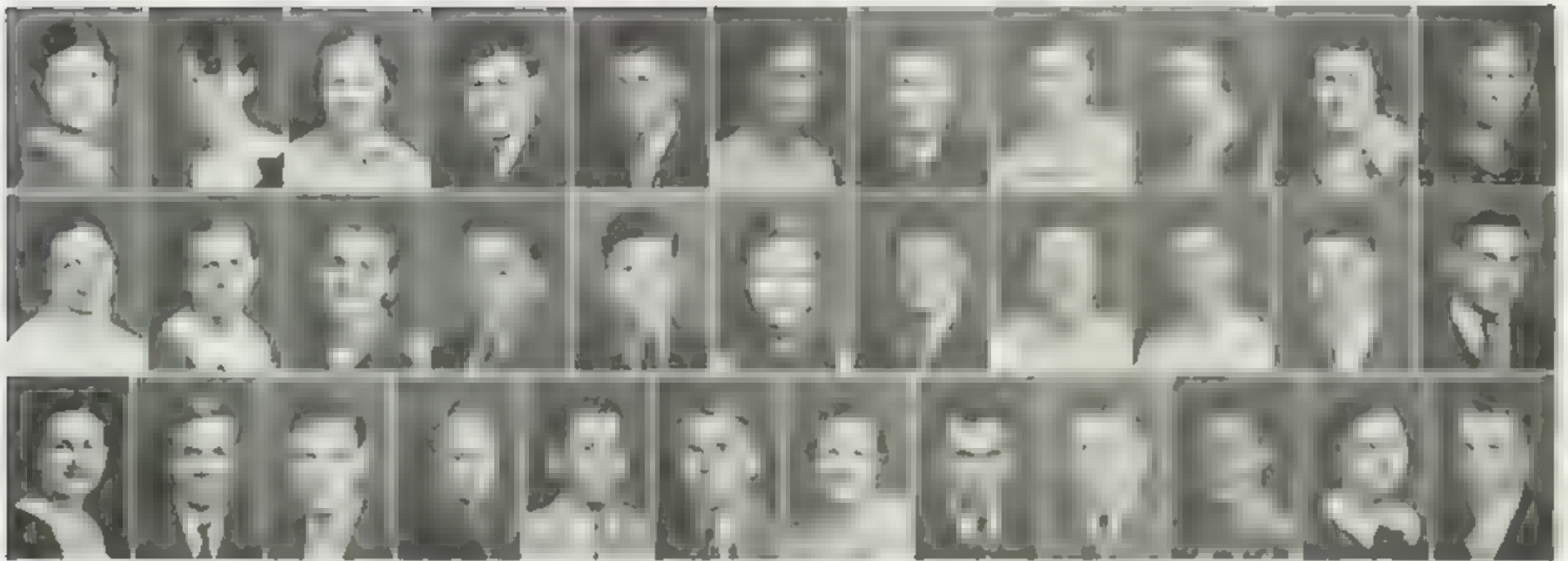
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 KATHRYN JACKSON

# SOPHOMORE CLASS

MOTTO: "Preparing for Better Things."

COLORS: Lavendar and White.

FLOWER: Violet.



TOP ROW:

RAVELINGS

KATHRYN KOHLS  
MELBA KRAFT  
JANE KRICK  
OTTO KRUECKEBERG  
DAVID MACKLIN  
LINDA MARBACH

ROBERT MARBACH  
EMMA MARQUART  
FAYE MARTIN  
MARGARET MCGILL  
ROSIE CUTLER

ROW TWO:

ROSIE MOYER  
BERNICE PICKFORD  
CATHERINE MURPHY  
ROBERT REBER  
DON REYNOLDS  
MARGARET SCHAMERLOH

ARTHUR SCHAMERLOH  
JOHN H. HILLIZ  
JAN S. SMITH  
JAMES ALLEN  
JANE S. SMITH

ROW THREE:

LOIS SOVINE  
DALE STALTER  
DORUS STALTER  
JEAN STRICKLER  
ARTHUR SUNDERMANN  
BYRON TRICKER

IRMA WUTROUB  
RAYMOND ALSON  
ROBERT WORTHMAN  
ELMA WYNN  
GLADYS WYNN  
HAROLD ZIMMERMAN



## SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

### Year 1934

September 5, 1933, marked the enrollment of 85 freshmen. There were 17 students from the year before. They organized with the following officers:

David Macklin, president; Lewis Smith, vice-president; Wendell Smith, secretary; Evelyn Adams, treasurer. Mr. Andrews was chosen guardian.

The freshmen were well represented in both scholastic and athletic activities. The following were on the honor roll at least once during the year: Evelyn Adams, Virginia Breiner, Jeanette Christen, Eugene Friedt, Kathryn Kohls, David Macklin, Eave Martin, Rosie Moyer, Gertrude Schultz, Irene Sell, Arthur Sundermann, and Harold Zimmerman.

Junior Drake, Eugene Friedt, Ralph Hurst, Robert Worthman were on the football squad.

Alice K. Baker and Lewis Beery were elected assistant yell leaders.

Katherine Jackson won the ping pong tournament for the freshman class. The girls who were awarded pins for the highest points were Catherine Murphy, Katherine Jackson, and Evelyn Adams.

### Year 1935

Having left its greenness to the oncoming freshmen, the class resumed its studies with enthusiasm. The members chose Arthur Sundermann, president, Kathryn Kohls, vice-president, Lewis Beery, secretary, Jeanette Christen, treasurer; Miss Lewton, guardian.

The following boys participated in football: Eugene Friedt, Monroe Fahrman, Richard Gared, Ralph Hurst, David Macklin, Fred Scheederer, Wendell Smith, Robert Worthman, Dorus Stalter, and Harold Zimmerman. In basketball the class was proud to have Ralph Hurst, Wendell Smith, and Raymond Wilson on the first squad. The second squad was almost entirely made up by the following sophomore boys, Robert Worthman, Eugene Friedt, Lewis Beery, Arthur Sundermann, Robert Brodbeck, Byron Tricker, and Dorus Stalter.

Eave Martin, Irene Sell, Kathryn Kohls, Virginia Breiner, Jeanette Christen, Harold Zimmerman, Rosie Moyer, Gertrude Schultz, Eugene Friedt, Catherine Murphy and David Macklin represented the class in scholarship.

The following girls made points in G. A. A. competition for the sophomores, Evelyn Adams, Alice Baker, Virginia Breiner, Rosalie Miller, Irene Sell, Jeanette Christen, Margaret Hoffman, Catherine Jackson, Kathryn Kohls, Rosie Moyer, Catherine Murphy, and Emma Marquart.

Eave Martin and Rosie Moyer were awarded first and second places in the local Latin contest which brought further honor to the class.

Many members of the sophomore class are taking active parts in the various organizations of the high school, namely, the A. K. S. Club, Glee Club, Pep Champs, Howling Hosts, Latin Club, and Commercial Club.

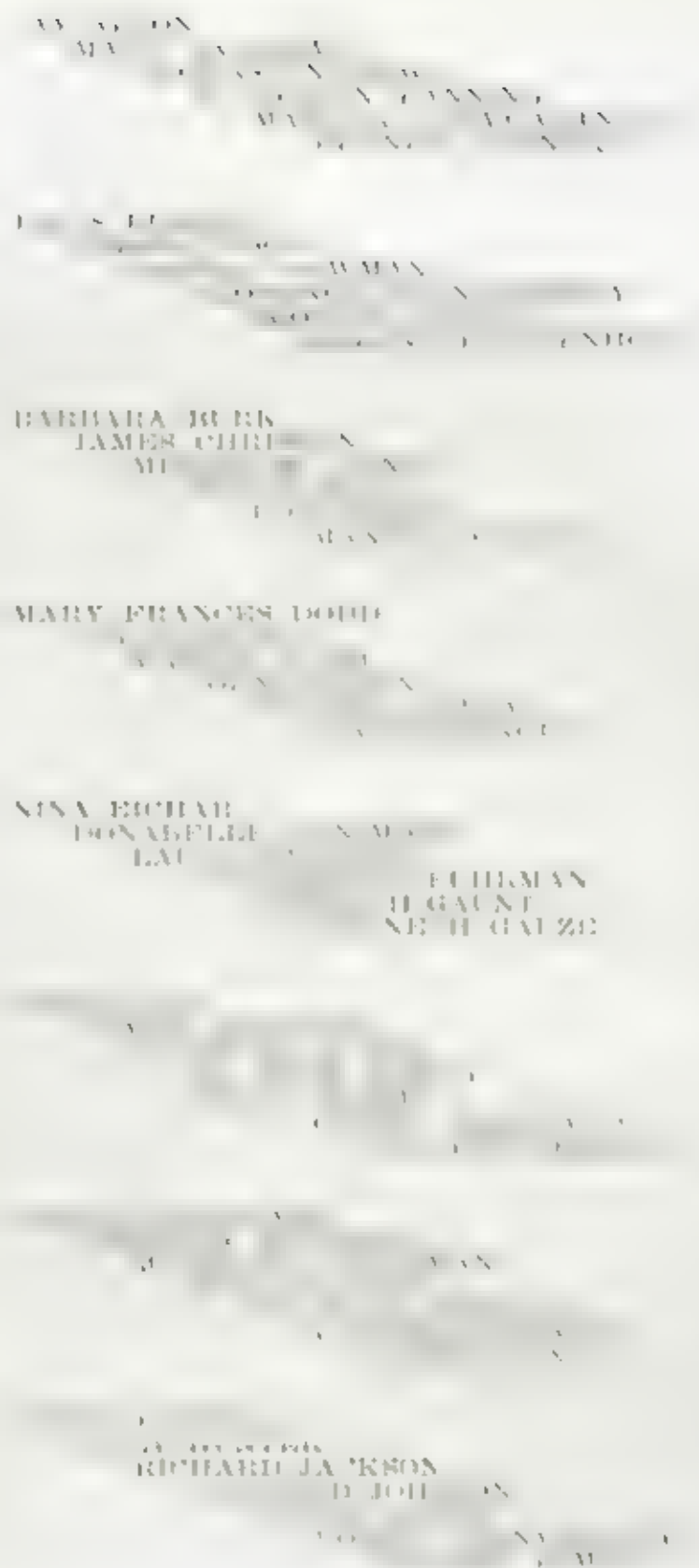
The members playing in the Junior Band are Lawrence Auspough, Arthur Sundermann, Lois Sovine, and Robert Worthman.

In all future undertakings the sophomores intend to keep their motto, "Preparing for better things," always before them.



Bob Linn, Olympic star; Victrolatites; Girls basketball; Junior Band showing off new sweaters; Locker room; Stage craft; and the man who keeps us warm during snow ball time make—

A Busy Day at D. H. S.



## RAVELINGS

## FRESHMAN CLASS

### OFFICERS

James Krick	-	-	-	-	President
Peggy Staley	-	-	-	-	Vice President
Henry Morrison	-	-	-	-	Secretary
Imogene Bright	-	-	-	-	Treasurer

## FRESHMAN CLASS

**MOTTO:** "Going Forward with a Will."

**COLORS:** Shell Pink and Pale Green.

**FLOWER:** Brier-cliff Rose.

## RAVELINGS

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## FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

Year 1935

On September 4, 1934, seventy-four freshmen entered Decatur High School. They organized and elected the following officers: James Krack, president; Marguerite Staley, vice president; Henry Morrison, secretary; Imogene Bright, treasurer. Mr. Andrews was chosen as class sponsor.

The freshmen were initiated in a humorous way during the fifth week of school. Talks were given by all the class presidents. Janet Schrock, master of ceremonies, presented Frederick Schrock, who advised the freshmen concerning their behavior and school work. The initiation was under the supervision of Mr. Dorwin.

The twenty-nine mid-year students were also initiated in a humorous manner. The initiation was in charge of the valedictorians. After taking their oath, they were counted full padded members of the Decatur High School student body.

The freshmen were well represented on the homecoming by the following people: Thomas Andrew, Mary Frances Dodge, Donnette Fernmore, Frank Gietner, Dwight Kinney, James Krack, Elmer Miller, Zeta Porter, Marguerite Staley, Lena Teeler, and Jeanette Winnes.

The freshman class had three boys on the second basketball team. They were Arthur Heller, Lyle Edinger, and Don Death. We hope that they will improve and will be able to make the first team in a few years.

At the local Latin contest Thomas Andrews winning first place and Dwight Kinney winning second place brought honor to the class and also to the school. They also won first and second places in the county Latin contest.

The Freshmen Glee Club, under the supervision of Miss Harwood, has been doing fine work and is an excellent organization. In later years they all wish to be members of the Glee Club.

In the point system the following girls made the squad: Imogene Bright, Mary Frances Dodge, Donnette Fernmore, Laura Fleming, Dorcas Hoagland, Pauline Light, Ethel Vagabond, Zeta Porter, Janet Schrock, Marguerite Staley, and Jeanette Winnes.

The freshmen had one boy on the football squad, Don Death, but they hope to have more boys out for football next year.

In all future activities the class wishes to keep in mind its motto, "Going forward with a will."



Miss Clark's grade school gym class. Swimming. Ping pong. Yellow Jacket basketball games. Track events. Rest periods between halves. Last football game with Bluffton; Clois and Jim—chair sellers not players—comprise the—  
Athletics in Decatur High School



"O Time and Change! — with hair as gray  
As was my sire's that winter day,  
How strange it seems, with so much gone  
Of life and love to still live on!"

—Whittier



"Was Heaven impatient that it could not wait  
The blasts of winter for earth's fruits to fall?  
Were angels crowding round the open gate  
To greet the spirits coming at their call?"  
—Holmes





"He has his Winter too of pale misfeature,  
Or else he would forego his mortal nature."  
—Keats



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## ATHLETICS

**I**N THE first high school athletics were quite limited, because the teachers and administrators could see no value in such things. During warm weather, however, the school master would frequently take the well-behaved boys swimming. During the winter they also had such favorite sports as coasting and ice skating.

In the high schools of today, however, there is much greater opportunity to develop the body along with the mind, for a course in physical culture is required in every high school. High school students of today also participate in various athletic contests with students of other schools. Undoubtedly, athletics play an important part in the high school life of today.



# ATHLETICS







## THE WORTHMAN FIELD

The Worthman Field is a very fine asset to the Decatur High School. Every student in the Decatur High School should appreciate the fact that he may enjoy the privilege of a wonderful athletic field of this kind.

The dedication of the athletic field to Mr. Worthman was held May 16, 1955. The two main speakers enjoyed by the large attending crowd were Mr. Trester, president of the Indiana High School Athletic Association, and Mr. Quinn, one of Mr. Worthman's dearest friends. Special music was also enjoyed by the large crowd gathered at Worthman Field.

Mr. Worthman was a friend of Youth and was constantly involved in the welfare of Youth. He was interested in the athletics of the Decatur High School, and it was his sincere desire to have every pupil possess a sound mind in a sound body.

The Worthman Field consists of a football field, a baseball diamond, a track, tennis courts, and jumping pits for field events. It was on this field the undefeated Yellow Jackets won several of their football games last fall. The baseball diamond is one of the best in this part of the state. The track, although not quite completed, should be very fine when finished. When the track has been completed, the Worthman Field will be one of the finest athletic fields in Northern Indiana, one which the students of the Decatur High School can be proud of possessing.

## FOOTBALL GAMES

Decatur 7 C. C. of Fort Wayne 6

The Yellow Jackets opened their season by defeating Central Catholic of Fort Wayne by the score of 7 to 6. Neither team scored until the final quarter. With the Irish leading 6 to 0, Dick Sheets snared a pass from Schultz and ran forty yards for a touchdown. The extra point, which meant victory, was made by Butler.

Decatur 13 Auburn 6

Playing on a muddy field, the Decatur eleven outbattled a fighting Auburn team and won 13 to 6. Auburn ran back the opening kickoff for a touchdown. Decatur's points were made by Sheets and Myers.

Decatur 0 South Side of Fort Wayne 0

The Yellow Jackets upset the proverbial dope bucket by holding the strong South Side eleven to a scoreless tie. Several times the Fort Wayne school had opportunities to score, but each time the Jackets' line held them off. This strong defense along with Walther's punting gained a tie for Decatur.

Decatur 12 Garrett 7

The Yellow Jacket's next victory was over the Garrett Railroaders. Decatur scored early in the game and their goal line was never threatened except for the last quarter when Garrett completed two passes for a touchdown.

Decatur 0 Central of Fort Wayne 0

Once again the fighting Jackets surprised football fans by playing Central of Fort Wayne to a deadlock. The locals had several opportunities to score but lacked the necessary punch to put the ball over the line.

Decatur 14 Portland 0

Portland presented a light and inexperienced eleven and Decatur had no difficulty in beating the Panthers. The Jackets pushed over a touchdown in the first three minutes. Coach Andrews used a reserve lineup during most of the game.

Decatur 13 North Side of Fort Wayne 12

The Jackets kept their slate clean against Fort Wayne schools by nosing out the North Side Redskins for the first time in years. In doing so they played their best game of the season. Fighting every minute and taking advantage of every break in the game, the Jackets came from behind to add another victory to their string.

Decatur 6 Bluffton 0

The Jackets ended the season in a blaze of glory by humbling the proud Tigers from the Parlor City by a score of 6 to 0. Red Schultz returned a punt 80 yards for the winning marker in the second quarter.



JUNIOR BARNES  
HAROLD BAY  
DICK BRODIE  
RUSSEL BUTLER

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS

### BARKER

Barker is a junior and has won his letter for two straight years. He is a hard driving, vicious tackler and very hard to pass.

### BLYTHE

Harold was a hard fighting, hard running half-back, who could be called upon for a few yards when they were needed. He was another senior.

### BRODBECK

"Dick", after being out two years, finally earned his letter by playing good, clean, football and showing good sportsmanship. Dick will be lost through graduation.

### BUTLER

Butler, a junior, completed his third year on the squad. He played full back and although handicapped by an injured knee, played his best when in the game.

### COFFEE

"Pat", the fighting Irishman, was always in the battle and was a tower of defense. He was an end, and although he did not play regular, he earned his letter. "Pat" is another senior who will be lost to the team.

### CONRAD

"Coonie", the only man on the squad who earned four letters in football, was elected honorary captain at the end of the season. He was one of the toughest guards Decatur ever had.

### RAVELINGS







HAROLD  
DALE MY  
DICK SED  
RALPH RA

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS

### KOLTER

Kolter, our gigantic tackle, was another senior who won his letter and was a big reason for the team's success. It will take a foot-ball player to fill "What-a-man's" shoes.

### MYERS

Dale was one of the "toughest" men on the team. He was a cool player and will be back next year.

### SHEETS

"Dick" was a speedy, hip waving halfback and was adept at intercepting passes. He was also handicapped by a bad knee. But managed to earn his "D". Sheets is another senior who will be lost to the team.

### HURST

"Bud" played center and although only a sophomore has won his letter two years. He was a deadly tackler and will be the nucleus for next year's line.

### WORTHMAN

Trying to move "Bob" in that line was like trying to move an elephant and was done about as often. He is a sophomore and should be a star in his two remaining years.

### RITTER

"Tink" is another of the many juniors who won letters. He was a halfback and should be a varsity man next season.

### FREIDT

"Pop" started the season playing in the line, but was shifted to the backfield where his speed and drive were needed. He is a sophomore and we predict a bright future for him during the next two years.

### RAVELINGS

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS

### WALTHER

"Hoggy", our big end, gained the reputation as being the best kicker in northern Indiana. Time and again his long, high punts sent the enemy back to the goal line. This was his third year on the squad and he has another year to play.

### SMITH

"Taddy" was one of the fastest men on the team and a deadly tackler. This was his second and last year of football, as he graduates.

### SCHULTZ

"Red", who was our leading scorer, was one of the most elusive runners we have ever had. Most of his touchdowns were scored by long runs. "Red" was also a good field general and will be missed next year.

## 1934 FOOTBALL RECORD

Decatur .....	7	Central Catholic .....	6
Decatur .....	13	Auburn .....	6
Decatur .....	0	South Side .....	0
Decatur .....	12	Garret .....	7
Decatur .....	0	Central .....	0
Decatur .....	14	Portland .....	0
Decatur .....	13	North Side .....	12
Decatur .....	6	Bluffton .....	0
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Decatur .....	65	Opponents .....	31

### RAVELINGS





MANAGER  
AND  
YELL  
LEADERS

CARL SHEETS

SEPHUS JACKSON

IRENE COSNER

## COACHES, YELL LEADERS AND MANAGER

### IRENE COSNER

Irene Cosner, yell leader, is a newcomer to D. H. S. this year. She came from Dayton, Ohio where she was yell leader at the Colonel White Junior High School. Irene did her best to bring pep and enthusiasm to pep meetings and athletic meets. Irene is also very active in the dramatic and social phases of school life.

### CARL SHEETS

Carl Sheets returned to D. H. S. this year, after a year's absence, and resumed his duties as yell leader. In '32 and '33 he was assistant yell leader under Marion Baker and Kathryn Hower. With him, Carl brought out a new yell which helped arouse enthusiasm among the D. H. S. students. Carl deserves a lot of credit for his work and his peppy leadership. We are sorry to see you graduate, Carl.

### SEPHUS JACKSON

Sephus Jackson, little but mighty, served his alma mater for three years in football and one year in basketball as athletic manager. "Sephie" was a very efficient manager and very little equipment was lost under his direction. He is a senior and we will surely miss him next year.

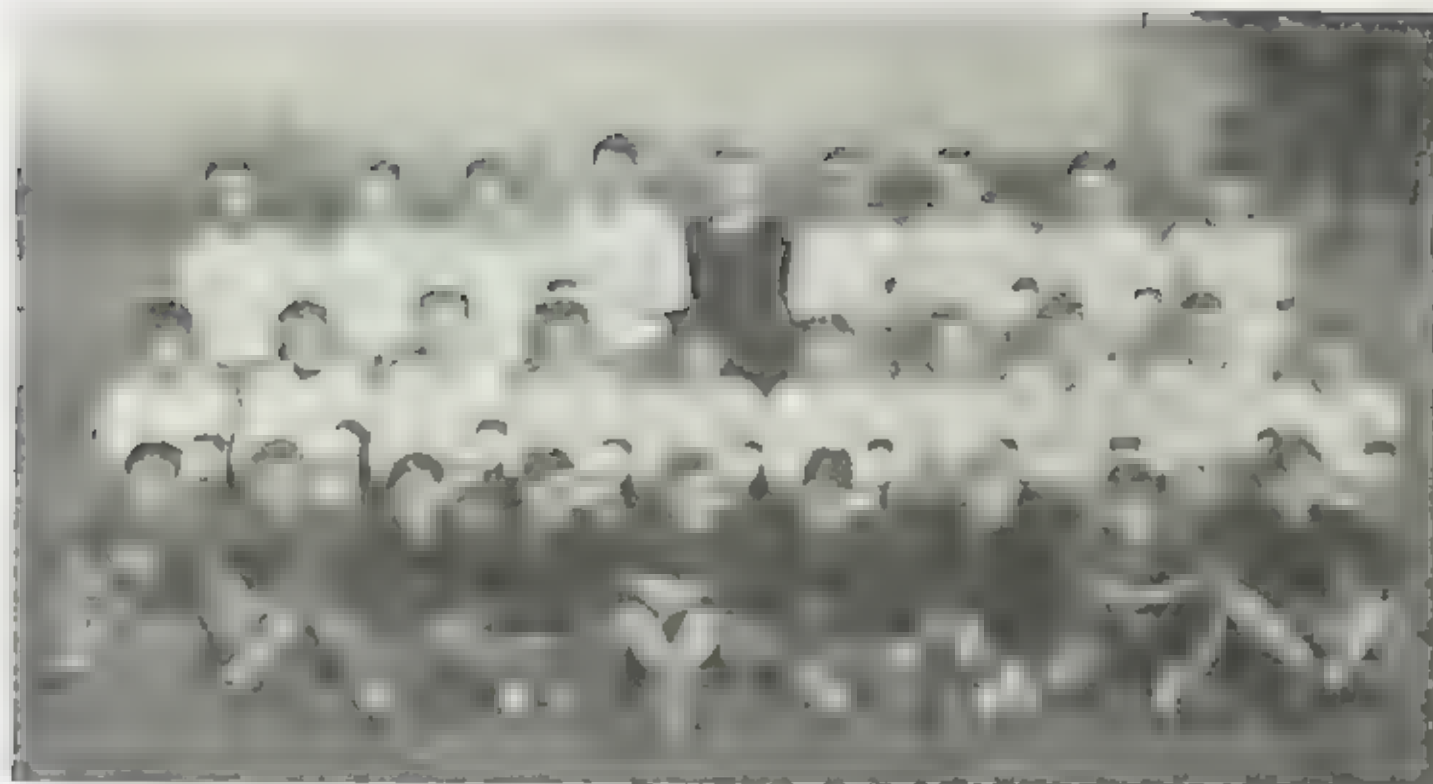
### HUGH ANDREWS

Hugh Andrews entered the sports field as a coach for the first time this year. "Christmas," our mathematics teacher, was called upon to be our football coach when our former coach was called away. "Christmas," an ideal type of coach went to town his first year and brought to Decatur the first N. E. I. C. championship football trophy. Decatur has never had. Mr. Andrews also coached the baseball team and was assistant basketball coach. Our hats off to you, Hugh!

### HERB CURTIS

"Herb" Curtis, our veteran basketball coach, is known throughout the state for his ability in coaching clever teams. Sports writers throughout the state praise the fine work and the ball handling of the Cartsmen from year to year. Although Herb has never had the teams that his kid brother, Glen of Martinsville, has had, he still has hopes of bringing a state championship team to Decatur.

## N. E. I. C. CHAMPS



Front Row—Monroe Fuhrman, Richard Girod, Russell Friedt, Donald De Zee, Rick Scheld  
Hugh Andrews, Dale Myers

## FOOTBALL

This year the Yellow Jackets had the most successful season on the gridiron in the history of the Decatur High School. Much credit is due Hugh Andrews, who assumed the duties of football coach for the first time this year. Through the efforts of the coach and the hard work of the thirty football candidates, Decatur finished the season undefeated, and was the N. E. I. C. champion. The final game was with Bluffton, Decatur's old rival; and the Yellow Jackets defeated the Tigers 6 to 0 thus completing a remarkable record of six victories and two ties.

The outstanding feature of the team was the sterling defense which was displayed in every game and which many times prevented the opposing team from scoring. The team was composed of a fighting group of boys who were on their toes every minute of play and who took advantage of every break.

Lloyd Conrad, veteran Decatur guard, was named on the all-state second team. Elmer Schultz, Junior Barker, Ralph Hurst and Clarence Walther received honorable mention.

Prospects for another very successful season next year are bright. Although the Yellow Jackets lose eight lettermen by graduation, there are a number of lettermen remaining who should form another good team next year. The Decatur High School sincerely hopes that the Yellow Jackets will come through with another splendid record the next season in football.



Coach Curtis

Coach Andrews





## BASKETBALL GAMES

Decatur 63 Geneva 14

The Yellow Jackets opened their season by crushing Geneva under an avalanche of field goals. The Jackets displayed a scoring punch and a good defense. Blythe, veteran forward, led the Jackets with 18 points.

Decatur 36 New Haven 18

What was thought to be a hard game turned out to be comparatively easy for the Jackets. The first half of the Decatur-New Haven game was close, but the Jackets turned on the power in the third quarter and scored 19 points which sewed up the ball game.

Decatur 36 Winamac 15

The Yellow Jackets easily defeated the highly touted Winamac five by the score of 36 to 15. Turning their high-powered offense at the start, the Curtismen were never in danger.

Decatur 21 Laporte 22

The Jackets suffered their first defeat of the season when they journeyed to Laporte. The final score was 22 to 21. The Jackets led 14 to 10 at half time but Laporte rallied to nose out a win in the last minute of play.

Decatur 22 North Side of Fort Wayne 19

The Yellow Jackets came right back the next game to scalp the Redskins of North Side by the score of 22 to 19. The game was close throughout, with the Curtismen putting on a last quarter rally to win. This was an N. E. I. C. tilt.

Decatur 19 Berne 21

For the second time in two years the Berne Bears defeated Decatur by the identical score of 21 to 19. This time the Jackets forced the Bears into an overtime period. The score was close all through the game. In the overtime period Dro, star Berne Center, tapped in the winning basket.

Decatur 17 South Side of Fort Wayne 28

The Jackets tasted their first N. E. I. C. defeat when South Sides' Archers trounced the Curtismen 28 to 17. The Jackets trailed throughout the game and did not display their usual pep.

Decatur 20 Bluffton 22

The Yellow Jackets lost their next start to their arch rivals, the Bengals from Bluffton. After leading 10 to 9 at half time, the Jackets wilted in the final quarter and Bluffton nosed out a win. Blythe was high for Decatur with 10 points.

Decatur 25 Auburn 19

The Jackets found their winning ways again by trouncing Zeke Young's Auburn quintet 25 to 19. The Yellow Jackets led all the way and had no trouble in chalking up the win. The scoring for both teams was evenly divided.

## BASKETBALL GAMES

Decatur 50 Monroeville 18

Monroeville's basketeers offered no opposition for the Curtismen who romped to an easy victory. After leading by only a 16 to 11 margin at the half, the Jackets turned on the power and scored thirty-four points in the last half.

Decatur 37 Columbia City 32

The Jackets defeated the strong Columbia City Eagles in an N. E. I. C. game by the score of 37 to 32. After trailing at the half, Decatur came back with a rush in the final quarter and pulled the game out of the fire. Blythe was best for Decatur, while Stamon led Columbia City.

Decatur 31 Central of Ft. Wayne 26

The Jackets made it two victories in two successive nights by downing the Central Tigers 31 to 28. Displaying the best brand of basketball played by the team during the season, they took the lead at the start and were never headed.

Decatur 31 Bluffton 34

The Bluffton Tigers definitely removed Decatur's championship hopes by downing the Jackets on their home floor by 34 to 31. This was an N. E. I. C. game. Bluffton held an 18 to 8 margin at the half. In the last quarter Decatur's substitutes almost pulled the game out of the fire but the rally fell short. McCray looked best for Bluffton, while Carson led Decatur.

Decatur 28 Hartford City 25

The Yellow Jackets nosed out a victory over the Hartford City Airdales by the score of 28 to 25. The game was close throughout with neither team holding a decided advantage.

Decatur 28 Jefferson Twp. 18

The Yellow Jackets gave the Warriors a 28 to 18 beating. Decatur had little difficulty and led throughout the entire game. After leading 17 to 7 at the half, the boys coasted through the remainder of the game.

Decatur 36 Garret 19

Led by Blythe, Yellow Jacket forward who scored 20 points, Decatur trounced the Garret Railroaders 36 to 19. Decatur had little trouble breaking through Garret's defense for short shots.

Decatur 32 Winchester 39

The boys at Winchester handed Decatur a 39 to 32 defeat at Winchester. It was Decatur's last game away from home.

Decatur 19 Kendalville 33

In the last game of the season the Yellow Jackets were beaten badly by the Comets. The Kendalville boys were scoring consistently on one-handed shots during the last half. The final score was 33 to 19.



## BASKETBALL PLAYERS

### BARKER:—

A junior who was a regular guard and was always fighting for a victory. He'll be back next year.

### BLYTHE:—

Harold was a senior and we will surely miss him. He was the honorary captain and high point man of the team.

### BUTLER:—

Butler played most of the games and always did his best. He was a junior.

### HUFFMAN:—

He was the smallest man on the team, but he played in most of the games. He was a junior and hopes to land a regular position next year.

### HURST:—

Hurst played either at center or guard and his height helped a lot. He was a sophomore and still has two years to play.

### KOLTER:—

Kolter was another senior who made the team for the first time.

### MYERS:—

Dale played the center position very well and much is expected of him next year as he is a junior.

### PETERSON:—

Pete was an all-sectional forward and played fine ball. He is another junior who will be back next year.

### RITTER:—

Ralph did not get into many games but will be back next year.

### SCHULTZ:—

"Red", as he is better known, made the team for the first time. He is a senior and this is his last year.

### SMITH:—

Smith played with the second team during the season but was moved up to the first team for the sectional. He is a sophomore.

### WILSON:—

Wilson was another sophomore who was moved up for the sectional tournament. He still has two years to play.

RALPH RITTER  
DALE MYERS  
WENDELL SMITH  
DAYMOND WILSON

RAVELINGS



## BASKETBALL SQUAD



James Klinger, Raymond Johnson, Donald Death, Nephew

## BASKETBALL

The Decatur Yellow Jackets completed a rather successful season by winning ten games and losing seven, and finishing in fourth position in N. E. I. C. race, which was won by Central of Ft. Wayne. The Jackets defeated Geneva, New Haven, Winamac, North Side, Central, Columbia City, Jefferson, Hartford City, Auburn, Garrett, and Monroeville, and lost to Laporte, Berne, Bluffton (twice), South Side, Kendalville, and Winchester.

Prospects for a successful team next year are very bright with only three seniors graduating. They are: Blythe, veteran forward; Kolter, reserve forward; and Schultz, a reserve forward. Barker, Butler, Myers, Hurst, Peterson, Smith, Wilson, Ritter and Huffman from this year's squad return to form a nucleus for the squad.

The sectional tourney was held again in Ft. Wayne, and Decatur and Monmouth were the two teams from Adams County who participated.

The Curtismen defeated Leo early in the first game but were victims of an upset when North Side of Ft. Wayne defeated the locals 34 to 26. Ralph Peterson, a junior and a regular forward, was given a position on the all-sectional first team, and he, truly, deserved the honor. Harold Blythe, a senior, was selected on the all-sectional second team.

The Yellow Jacket Reserves under the direction of Hugh Andrews, also had a successful season.



Coach Andrews

Coach Curtis





BASEBALL  
SQUAD

Doc Brodbeck, Jack Grether, Louis Baecke, 1  
Kruetkeberg, K

## BASEBALL

Mr. Andrews took over the baseball coaching job for the first time this year. Twenty-five boys answered the first call.

There were seven lettermen available from the year before... They were: Barker, Coffee, Conrad, Fuhrman, Harkless, Jackson, and Schatz. Five of these were seniors and will be lost next year. The others from which the team was rounded out were: Beery, Bleeke, D. Brodbeck, B. Brodbeck, Carson, Drake, Grether, Hitchcock, Hoffman, Kelter, Kruetkeberg, Mackin, Reynolds, Riter, Smith, Worthman, and Zimmerman.

Last year Decatur won the Northwestern Indiana Conference Championship for the third time and thus obtained permanent possession of the trophy.

The last few days were cold and later rain kept the boys off the field most of the time. The boys will have to work hard to win the N. E. I. C. Championship and thus maintain the prestige of Decatur. The boys went to work with a will in order to get in shape for the first game with Wren, Ohio.

The schedule is as follows:

Wren, Berne, Bluffton, Portland, Hartford City, Portland, Bluffton, Wren, and Berne. It is the hope of Decatur fans that the Northwestern Indiana Conference tournament will be held in Decatur, again this year.

Nine of the twenty-five boys are seniors and will not return next year. However, there will still be enough material to make a good team. We are sure the boys will do their best to keep the N. E. I. C. Championship in Decatur.

As Seph is Jackson plays baseball, a new student manager was needed. Ed. Lutewer was given the position. We only hope that he will do as well as "Sephie," who was a very good manager.

## TRACK SQUAD



Don Arnold, Raymond Johnson, James Ehinger, Arthur, Dale Hoffman, Arthur Sundermann, Dick Blythe, Raymond Wilson, Ralph Hurst, Elmer Banning, Dwight Kind

## TRACK

Thirty-five boys reported to Coach Herb Curtis to work out for the track team. The boys showed more interest in track this year than has been shown in previous years. The new track at Worthman field has been fixed and more cinders have been put down in order to make it as good as possible. Some of the boys are going well and may be expected to do much in helping Decatur win meets.

Those working out for the team are:

Dashes: Raymond Wilson, Arthur Sundermann, Wendell Smith, Arthur Sunderman, James Ehinger, Harold Blythe, Elmer Schultz, and Ralph Hurst.

Distance Runs: Eugene Friedt, Fred Scheiderer, Dale Hoffman, Robert Beavers, Ralph Steer, Frank Grotzer, Donald Bisher, Herb Banning, and Raymond Johnson.

Hurdles: Ralph Hurst, Raymond Wilson, Fred Scheiderer, Herb Banning, Wendell Smith, and Harold Blythe.

High Jump: Harold Blythe and Arthur Sunderman.

Shot Put: Junior Barker and Ralph Hurst.

Pole Vault: Lawrence Ansbaugh, Lewis Smith, and Harold Blythe.

Broad Jumping: Wendell Smith, Elmer Schultz, and Ralph Hurst.

Meets have been scheduled with the following teams:

April 13: Invitational meet at South Side of Ft. Wayne.

April 16: South Side reserves (here).

April 20: At Bluffton with Bluffton and Montpelier.

April 30: Garrett at Garrett.

Another meet will be held with the North Side reserves. The conference meet will probably be held May 4. The sectional will follow one week later on May 11.

Coach Curtis explained the point system by which a letter may be won, and the boys are all the more interested in working for a letter.

The prospects for this year are not so bright; however, only two boys, Harold Blythe and Elmer Schultz, will be lost to the squad and in two or three years Decatur should have a team capable of competing with the best.



## TENNIS SQUAD

Front Row: Arthur Heller, Doras Stalter, Jay Altor  
Row Two: Jacob Moyer, Vance Fenimore, Arthur Sandermann, Robert Ashbacher,  
Harold Blythe, Harry Moyer, Meredith Cline

## TENNIS

With our new asphalt courts in great shape, our boys started off the tennis season with a bang. Ten boys answered Coach Deane Dorwin's call compared with last year's eighteen candidates for the team. The weather was almost too cold and wet at first for the boys to do much work; however, the prospects for this year are good. Three lettermen who returned from last year are Jacob Moyer, Harold Blythe, and Vance Fenimore. Arthur Sandermann, Doras Stalter, Harry Moyer, and Arthur Heller are underclassmen who have a good chance to make the team. Robert Ashbacher, Jay Altor, and Meredith Cline are practicing and show much promise.

It certainly looks as though Decatur is going to have another good team. Now that we have new courts it is our hope that the N. E. I. C. tennis tournament will be held here again this year.

Tennis meets have been arranged with the following teams: Huntington (here), Bluffton (here), Central of Fort Wayne (here), Huntington (there), Central of Fort Wayne (there), Bluffton (there). Other matches with Dunkirk, North Side, and South Side of Fort Wayne have not been definitely arranged.

We will lose three boys from our squad next year. They are Harold Blythe, Jacob Moyer, and Vance Fenimore. Although our team will be greatly handicapped by the loss of these boys, we hope that they will carry off further honors for our alma mater.



Coach Deane Dorwin



## GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

This was the second year for the Girls' Athletic Association, and everyone has taken a great interest in it. At the beginning of the year committees were elected for the various classes. They were as follows: Freshman: Zula Porter; Sophomore: Virginia Bremer; Junior: Agnes Nelson; Senior: Pauline Affolder. The girls with the exception of the freshmen were not permitted to enter the association again this year unless they had earned at least ten points last year. Points are given for hiking, swimming, bicycling, rowing, coasting, and participating in the various games during the year. Awards were given at the end of the school year to the outstanding girls in each class.

The season was opened with basketball practice and finally a tournament was held in which many girls participated. The first teams were not selected until after the tournament had been played. The six girls from each class who had played the best during the tournament were chosen for the first team. The teams were as follows: Freshmen: Zula Porter, Dorcas Hoagland, Donatelle Fennmore, Pauline Light, Mary Frances Dodd, and Laura Fleming. Sophomores: Jeanette Christen, Alice Kathryn Baker, Kathryn Marphy, Virginia Bremer, Kathryn Jackson, and Kathryn Kohls. Juniors: Agnes Nelson, Ruth Porter, Lucinda Borne, Madeline Cruer, Eileen Jackson, and Elma Jane Wynn. Seniors: Adelen Porter, Pauline Affolder, Bernice Hannie, Marjorie Johnson, Martha Christen, and Evelyn Kohls.

**Sophomores 17 Juniors 16**

The first game of the season resulted in an overtime game. The sophomores outplayed the juniors and came through with a one point margin.

**Seniors 43 Freshmen 5**

The second game wasn't so entertaining for the fans. Even though the seniors were handicapped in this game by not having the regular number of players, they kept the lead during the entire game.

**Sophomores 21 Freshmen 12**

The freshmen were more successful in this game. They kept the sophomores fighting during the entire game but were unable to get in the lead and were defeated again by a score of 21 to 12.

**Seniors 24 Juniors 6**

The juniors suffered their second defeat of the season losing to the seniors 24 to 6. The seniors jumped into the lead at the start of the game and increased their margin as the game progressed.

**Juniors 37 Freshmen 11**

The freshmen were defeated in their last game but if they keep up the fight that they had in this last game, they will go places next year.

**Seniors 34 Sophomores 10**

This was the last game of the tournament and the sophomores failed in their attempt to hold the seniors' winning streak, losing 34 to 10.



**Coach Jeanette Clark**



## GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The seniors were the winners of the tournament, but the sophomores had a ~~very~~ second by losing out the game which was to the seniors. Aileen Porter of the senior class was the high point girl of the tournament.

In the interval between the basketball season and the spring sports, a pep pep tournament was held. As usual the clever sport brought much enthusiasm from those who participated. Each class had its own tournament, the winner of each being entered to represent her class in the ~~final~~ deciding the championship. The girls who entered the finals were Paula Kohn, senior; Mabel Grother, junior; Gertrude Schultz, sophomore; and Florence Bremer, city freshman. The seniors again came out on top, they did so last year with the credit to their representative, Evelyn Kohn. ~~Pep pep is not very popular in late winter, but it is enjoyed by the girls the whole year through.~~ This is one of the easiest ways to earn points for the awards which are given at the end of the year.

As usual, the spring sports were received with much enthusiasm. Many girls reported for baseball, which again was played in the gym as no vacant lot is available close to the high school. As is usually the case, the freshmen girls took in the largest representation, although great interest was shown among the upper classmen. A tournament was held among the four classes, with a select team representing each class.

Along with baseball and, without a doubt, equally as popular, came volleyball. These two sports always revive the interest and enthusiasm of the girls in the association.

The girls are always glad when warm weather comes so that they can get their tennis tournament underway. A tournament was held last fall, but it was impossible to finish it because the weather would not permit, so another tournament was held this spring to determine the champion of the school. The girls who took part in the tournament were: Mary Kathryn Lyndel, Marjorie Landon, Pauline Attolder, Evelyn Kohls, Evelyn Adams, Alice Kathryn Bauer, Martha Emma Butler, Donacole Lennette, Janet Schrock, Mary Frances Dodd, Laura Fleming, Dorcas Hoagland, Fred Margules, Ruth Margohes, Esther Fisher, Kathryn Murphy, Kathryn Kohls, Lenora Boone, Winona Fleming, Jane O'Donnell, Florence Bremer, Mary Margaret Hoffman, Marlowe Hoagland, Virginia Breiner, Madeline Crider, and Wilma Miller.

Very few of the girls had ever entered a tournament before this year; and there were good prospects, and next year's tournament is sure to be a fight to the end.



GIRLS' SPORTS  
BASKETBALL



TENNIS



PING PONG



VOLLEY BALL



BASKETBALL

## ACTIVITIES

**I**N THAT first high school there seldom were any activities other than the regular lessons. However, sometimes the school master would permit the pupils to carry on spelling matches. The students welcomed this diversion with great enthusiasm. Also, in the spring time the teacher frequently accompanied the boys on picnics.

In the high school of today there are many activities. The various high school clubs and organizations enable the students to utilize their spare time in accomplishing something worthwhile to themselves. There are some organizations in the modern high school that permit the students to undertake certain projects that will help them in their study. There are some clubs that make it their business to promote athletic activities. Other clubs give the students opportunities to take part in musical entertainment. Dramatics, too have become important in the high school of today.

It might be said that such activities as these constitute one of the mainsprings of the modern high school.



# ACTIVITIES





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Meyer, Robert Johnson, Albert Keller, Evelyn Kohls, James Harkness, Elizabeth Fohrman

Organization: October, 1934.  
Purpose: To publish a song book for the memory of Mr. Worthen.  
Meetings: Called frequent.  
Accomplishment: The edition and sale of 270 copies of the Revelings.

Editor-in-chief .....	Jack Grether
Asst. Editor-in-chief .....	Marie Grether
Business Manager .....	Evelyn Kohls
Asst. Business Manager .....	Robert Johnson
Photography Editor .....	Harold Sauer
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Snapshot Editor .....	Clark Smith
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Asst. Boys Sports Editor .....	William Tutewiler
Art Editor .....	Martha E. Calland
Typist .....	Elizabeth Fuhrman
Typist .....	Alice Jane Archbold
Faculty Adviser .....	Mr. Anderson
Faculty Business Manager .....	Miss McCrory

Miss McCrory has been the faculty business manager for the past ten years. Her wise management of finances and other valuable services rendered are appreciated very much.

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DOUBLE QUARTET

#### DOUBLE QUARTET

Organization: September, 1934

Purpose: To furnish music for public entertainment

Meetings: Frequently

Accomplishment: Sang in North Eastern Indiana Chorus for Teachers' Association 1939  
 Isolated music for various organizations in the community

#### MIXED CHORUS

Organization: Organized in 1931. Reorganized September, 1934

Purpose: To gain experience in choral singing and to receive such training as will be valuable in future choral work

Meetings: Every Friday

Accomplishment: Gave fall and spring concerts; sang at Lions' Club Convention, Mail Carriers' Convention, and for the dedication of highway 524.



MIXED CHORUS



## JUNIOR BAND

Sponsor  
Mr. Schreyer  
President  
Robert Enzler  
Vice President  
Robert Anderson  
Secretary  
Robert Jackson  
Treasurer  
Mr. Wick



The Junior Band was organized in 1924. It has since that time been a very successful organization. The band has given many concerts and has been a great help to the school. The band is made up of students who are interested in music and who are willing to practice hard. The band is a very important part of the school and is a great source of pride for the students.

## JUNIOR BAND

Organization: Organized in 1924. Reorganized September, 1931.  
Purpose: To furnish opportunities for musical training to those who desire it at a minimum expense.  
Meetings: Every Monday.  
Accomplishment: Sponsored several chapel programs and concerts played for basketball games.

## HOWLING HOSTS

Organization: Organized in 1924. Reorganized in 1931.  
Purpose: To promote athletic enthusiasm among the boys.  
Meetings: Whenever necessary.  
Accomplishment: Bought honor sweaters for football and basketball boys.

The Howling Hosts are a group of students who are interested in sports and who are willing to practice hard. The Hosts are a very important part of the school and are a great source of pride for the students. The Hosts are made up of students who are interested in sports and who are willing to practice hard. The Hosts are a very important part of the school and are a great source of pride for the students.



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C. S. ...  
Secretary & Treasurer  
Dick Radbrook





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 Melba Mary Jane Schafe  
 How Three Jeanette Christen, Vivian Yodanis, Evelyn Kohler, Melba Kraft, Maxine  
 Debolt, Gladys Wynn, Ethel May  
 Leola W. Anderson, Melba  
 How Four Virginia Egan  
 Porter, Rodie Meyer, Winona M.  
 Ellsworth, Helen Renner  
 How Five Roscoe  
 Lily, Winona  
 Lough, Edna M.

#### PEP CHAMPS

Organization Originated in 1923 Reorganized October, 1934.

Purpose To promote athletics among the girls

Meetings Whenever necessary

Accomplishment Bought basketball tickets for band members and athletic awards for girls.

#### A. K. S. CLUB

Organization Originated 1931 Reorganized October, 1934

Purpose To sponsor any type of oral activity in high school for which an occasion might arise

Meetings Every month

Accomplishment Gave program of short plays to buy new stage scenery

Mary K. Tandall, Madeline  
 Mary Frances Dodd  
 Evelyn Kohler, Rodie Meyer  
 Porter, Winona M.  
 How Four Evelyn Kohler, Vivian  
 Lane Dunn, Payline Krick

**A. K. S. CLUB**  
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 Evelyn Kohler  
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 James Harkless



Sponsor  
Miss Reppert  
Consul  
Marie Grether  
Pro-Consul  
Evelyn Adams  
Scriba  
Kathryn Kohls  
Quaestor  
Alice Baker



Front Row—Lucille Adams, Alice Kathryn Boks, Row Two—Emma Mire, Edith Edsworth, L. Virginia Bruce, Rosell George, Linda McElroy, Melba Kraft, Mary Evelyn Hoffman, Row Three—Lrene Meyer, Janet Sebeck, Eleanor Niblick, Edna Frank, Row Four—Ralph Steele, Fay Allen, Row Five—Lillian Plon, Helen and Hilba Cohen, Tracie, Edna M. Bequette, Row Six—Lillian, Mary, Francis Dodd.

Organization - Established in 1920. Reorganized October, 1934.  
Purpose - To create greater interest in the life and customs of the ancient Romans.  
Meetings - Saturdays, 12:00-1:00, and Thursdays.  
Accomplishment - Members participated in variety Latin contest.

Organization Organized in 1922. Reorganized November 1934.  
 Purpose To cultivate greater interest in commerce within the  
 community. Two chapters.  
 Accomplishment Sponsored two chapel programs and have successfully financed all pro-  
 jects undertaken.

Frent Low Mary	Kathryn Garner	Madeleine Spahr	John
Patsine Affolder, H.	Margaret Morgan	Hoffman	Maddie Crider
Elizabeth M. Bickelstein	Jackson		
Mary	Pandall	Mattha Carland Mer	Helen Sheets Wannan
Clemmie Evelyn Kord		Leitz R. Rogers Leitz M	Lancelotti Gladys
E. Beth Fishman Betty		Martha E.	
Rose Thrice Ed	Martin, Hel		Miller Nymora
Franklin Agnes Sch		Rockmond Hart	Gladys Dean Hol
Elizabeth Helen Gay		Alice Jane Archbold	Anstburg
Robert Earl Rut		Edna	Linker Day L
Wynn Carl Hendrick			Kathryn Hill
Genevieve Light, Martha			



**Sponsor**  
Mr. Anderson  
**Secretary**  
Ruth Margolles  
**Treasurer**  
Elita Anspaugh



# SENIOR CLASS PLAY

## DOUBLE WEDDING

A Comedy in Three Acts

—by—

JAY TOBIAS

### Cast of Characters

Mrs. Nancy Colbert . . . . .	Winona Fleming
George Colbert . . . . .	Frederick Shroyer
Augusta . . . . .	Martha Calland
Bob . . . . .	Vance Foulmore
Kathleen . . . . .	Mary K. Tyndall
Mrs. Wellington Trent . . . . .	Bernice H. . . . .
Monic . . . . .	Jane Linn
Peter Ramsey . . . . .	James Harkless
James Donohue . . . . .	Clark Smith
Jane . . . . .	Evelyn Kohls
Jarkus . . . . .	Lloyd Conrad
Dr. Emil X. Minnhoff . . . . .	Robert Coffee

The story is concerned chiefly with the visit of the Grandmother Colbert who, finding herself financially embarrassed due to the failure of the Home town bank, comes to live with George Colbert, her son, and his overbearing wife, Augusta. Augusta by the aid of a false heart attacks has the entire family under her thumb. Katy and Bob have been persuaded by their mother to marry persons for whom they cared little. Katy is really in love with a truck driver and Bob with the Colbert maid. Things seem hopeless until Grandma takes a hand. Augusta invites a foreign surgeon, Dr. Minnhoff, to her home. He turns out to be the son of Grandma's old sweetheart. In the meantime Augusta realizing that Grandma is beginning to see through her heart attacks and that she is gradually teaching Bob and Katy to think for themselves, forces George to tell Grandma that she must leave, and go to a home for old ladies.

Grandma falls asleep after being told by George that she must leave. She dreams that Dr. Minnhoff is really her old lover and that he rejuvenates her, making her a beautiful girl. She is invited to the Colbert home by Augusta who is under the impression that the rejuvenation of Grandma is a Russian Princess. Then everyone falls in love with her. She awakes and reveals that Augusta's heart attacks are false. In the end she finds that Dr. Minnhoff Sr. is dead but has left her \$50,000, which she gives to Bob and Katy, who at last can marry the girl and boy of their choice.

JUNIOR  
CLASS  
PLAY



## PHILLIP FOR SHORT

A Farce in Three Acts

KAY ZIEGFIELD

### Cast of Characters

Henry Dodge	Albert Ketchum
Betty	Madeline Carter
Josephine	Irene Cosner
Jane	Marie Grothe
Samuel	Bob Ashbaucher
Mrs. Wiggins	Agnes Nelson
Alfred Dukes	Harry Moyer
Geranium	June O'Donnell
Matilda Tucker	Gladys Harvey
Phillip McGarth	Robert Engeler
Spasm Johnson	Bill Tutewiller

Henry Dodge, leading citizen, is very displeased over a love affair between his sister, Betty, and a Yellowstone guide, Phillip McGarth. Alfred Dukes, in love with Betty, is also displeased and pretends a love affair with Jane, Henry's cousin, to make Betty jealous. At this crucial moment, Henry's mother-in-law, Mrs. Wiggins, arrives for an extended visit, which complicates matters.

Samuel, the butler, owns a fighting rooster and is accompanied to a cock fight by Henry, who wishes to stop the proceedings. The place is raided, and Henry and Samuel flee, followed by Phillip and Spasm, a colored boy who also owns a rooster. Henry's wife, Josephine, mistakes Phillip for a returned writer of *Abyssinia* and Spasm for a native. Henry believes Phillip is a notorious criminal.

Betty and Phillip are surprised to discover each other and they decide to pretend that Phillip is really a notorious criminal. When Henry finds Betty in love with a criminal, he withdraws all objections to Phillip McGarth.

Matilda Tucker, a reformer, tells Henry the police are looking for him. Henry thinks he is harboring a crook and doesn't know which way to turn.

In the end all difficulties are untangled. Geranium, the cook, discovers Spasm's true identity, Alfred finds that Jane is his ideal girl, and Phillip and Betty are allowed to renew their love affair.



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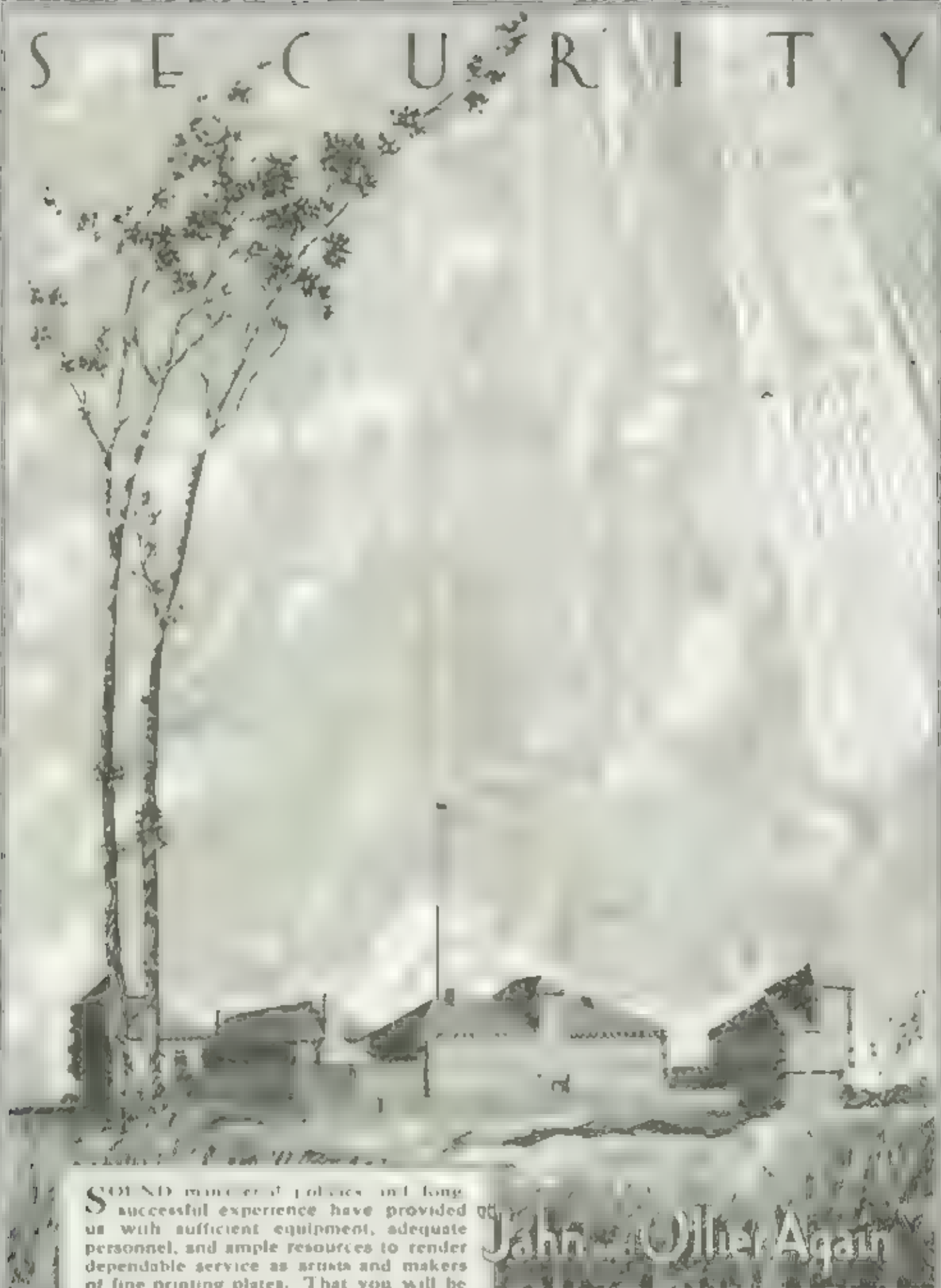
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